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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kyle et al.  
Serial No.: 09/838,652  
Filed: April 19, 2001  
Group Art Unit: 2152  
Before the Examiner: Nguyen, Trong  
Title: DETERMINING LOGON STATUS IN A BROADBAND  
NETWORK SYSTEM AND AUTOMATICALLY  
RESTORING LOGON CONNECTIVITY

**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

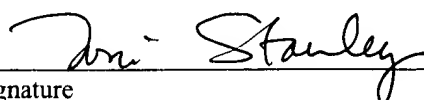
In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of March 24, 2005 (Paper No. 5), having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on June 24, 2005, please reconsider the rejections of the claims in view of the following remarks:

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8**

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